

DETAILED ACTION

1. This Action is in response to Applicant's Pre-Brief Conference request filed on 08/25/2010. Claims 2-6, 8, 9, 27, 29, 31, 32, 34 and 36-40 are now allowed in the present application.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

2. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Adam L. Rucker on 12/30/2010.

3. The application has been amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

29. (Currently Amended) A computer program product implemented in a wireless terminal that is participating in a packet-switched communications session that provides notice of receipt of an incoming circuit-switched call, comprising:
a non-transitory computer readable medium having computer readable program code embodied therein, the computer readable program code comprising:

computer readable program code configured to receive a paging request associated with the incoming circuit-switched call; computer readable program code configured to notify a server that establishes and runs the packet-switched communications session via a text message or an e-mail message that is transmitted over a circuit-switched SMS data bearer channel that the wireless terminal has received the incoming circuit-switched call; and computer readable program code configured to notify the server that establishes and runs the packet-switched communications session over the circuit-switched SMS data bearer channel upon termination of the incoming circuit-switched call.

Allowable Subject Matter

4. Claims 2-6, 8, 9, 27, 29, 31, 32, 34 and 36-40 are allowed.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: Consider claims 2, 27, 29, 36, and 40, Applicant's remarks included in a Pre-Brief Conference request filed on 08/25/2010 have been considered and found to be persuasive. In agreement with the Applicant's remarks, claims 2-6, 8, 9, 27, 29, 31, 32, 34 and 36-40 are allowed.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the Examiner should be directed to Marcos Batista, whose telephone number is (571) 270-5209. The Examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday from 9:00am to 6:00pm.

If attempts to reach the Examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the Examiner's supervisor, Rafael Pérez-Gutiérrez can be reached at (571) 272-7915. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (571) 273-8300.

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Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist/customer service whose telephone number is (571) 272-2600.

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